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## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS:

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1)	4,910,563	03/20/90	Tuska, et al.
2)	4,980,744	12/25/90	Watanabe, et al.
3)	5,138,420	08/11/92	Komori, et al.
4)	5,508,549	04/16/96	Watanabe, et al.
5)	5,899,714	05/04/99	Farrenkopf et al.
6)	6,218,708	04/17/01	Burr

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1)	5-6962	01/14/93	Japan

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